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OUR COLLEGES

The birthday anniversary of the legendary John D. Rockefeller this month (July 8) turns one's thoughts to education and especially to our colleges. In 1958 we face a challenge and cannot escape an obligation to shoulder our responsibilities in this vital field.

It is trite to say that what we make out of the youth of today—which will govern us tomorrow—depends upon what foundation and education we give them today. But this is true, and in the world of Communism versus Democracy, we must not neglect the basic concepts of opportunity for all. In the United States, we are very proud of the educational opportunities available to all. While not every student should continue his education, perhaps our system has enabled a higher percentage of our young people to attend college than is the case in any other country in the world. Today, U. S. parents are faced with the rising costs of education, and overcrowded facilities. The independent colleges are hard pressed to make ends meet, not to mention the task of modernization and improvement, in many cases.

Remembering how John Rockefeller gave $23,000,000 in 1892 to revive the University of Chicago, that he established the Rockefeller Foundation with an endowment of $100,000,000 and that in 1913 he gave $50,000,000 to the General Education Board, and made other educational gifts, and how so many other wealthy Americans gave millions in behalf of education, we must look to our own generation to maintain this principal—that making an education available is a responsibility of the individual as well as of the state. Surely, the taxpayer does his share, but we mention that there is a tradition to point to those who have gone beyond their mere line of duty.

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RECESSION ENDING?

From numerous quarters come encouraging news. Those of us who have been worried lest we become engulfed in a full-blown depression, have been reassured. And while we are not positive that the recession has touched its bottom, many think that it has.

And one can be fairly certain that this readjustment was a recession and is not to be another depression—which is one source of relief to the worried. Spending is remaining high, Government spending is increasing and pay raises have been granted to millions. Inventories are decreasing in many areas and production has picked up in some.

There are many predictions now that a business upturn will be felt in the autumn. The summer will generally be slow, to be sure, but if the upturn is to be felt in autumn then, that is not far away. The official forecast is for the cost of living to remain relatively stable.

We might have seen the worst of the recession, then. And as long as there is something to look forward to that is better, it is encouraging. In many areas, the farmer has begun to experience somewhat better times and this is all to the good, even if a great portion of the upturn has been an adequate rainfall overall.

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VACATION TIME

July is the month of vacation — the mid-summer month. The nights are warm and often clear, and hiking, camping, swimming and fishing beckon to everyone.

You are probably too busy. Or you haven't caught up with chores around the house. Or something. Our advice is to forget your problems, take to the hills, the mountains, or the seashore, and refresh your mind and your body—and perhaps, your soul.

Nature is a wonderful therapy. July is a wonderful month. And maybe other years will bring even more problems. For example, we are not at war. Gasoline is not rationed. You are free to drive where you wish and enjoy variable and interesting scenery and met interesting people.

The slaughter on our highways continues, however, and while seeking to enjoy the outdoors and warm weather, several thousand Americans lose their lives each summer. Another ten to twenty thousand are injured, crippled, scarred, or seriously hurt. See that you are not one of these. But enjoy July, 1958, and the freedom that is ours, and the luxury nature offers us all!

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THE KEY BATTLE

There are those who hold that the greatest threat to our nation is not military but economic. To that end, we need to make a greater effort in the direction of greater trade and commerce with the various groups of nations in the world. The United States has been all-powerful for decades in the economic and industrial field, but we now find ourselves long on ability to produce, and short on profitable markets for our commodities. Over one-third of all the people of the world are not available as our customers. They would doubtless like to buy our fabulous goods, but there are doors to be opened and arrangements to be made as to how the bill is to be paid. There is nothing more challenging to our government than to work out a way to expand the markets for American goods and build up fair deals for the exchange of commerce with other nations.

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The wages of sin have been reduced very little.

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There are some who think that a joke has to be bad in order to be good.

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Washington Notes

Radar To Spot Satellite

The Defense Department has announced that it plans to have in operation by the end of the year a radio-radar network that could detect even a silent satellite passing over the United States.

Work will begin immediately, according to the announcement made by the department's Advanced Research Projects Agency.

Sharing of Atom

The House of Representatives, by a 345-12 vote, has approved legislation permitting the United States to share nuclear weapons secrets with close military allies. The legislation now goes to the Senate, where it is expected to be approved shortly despite some opposition. The bill had been requested by the Administration.

3 States Add to Job Aid

Three more states have signed agreements with the Labor Department that will permit their long-term unemployed to receive temporary Federal aid.

The three — Delaware, Indiana, and Maryland — bring the total so far to nine states and the District of Columbia.

New Stamps

The Post Office Department has made an announcement to the effect that the 8-cent version of the forthcoming Simon Bolivar "Champion of Liberty" stamp would feature a design in red, blue and golden ochre. This denomination of the stamp is designed for international mail. It will also be issued in an ochre-colored 4-cent denomination for domestic use. Both stamps will have their first-day sale July 21.

Transit Inquiry Voted

The Senate has voted to authorize its Commerce Committee to undertake a $100,000 investigation of national transportation policies. The resolution calls for a study of Government regulatory policy, ownership and merger of transportation concerns, Government aid programs and passenger service.

Savings Increased

The Government has confirmed what many business men have believed all along — people saved more of their cash in the first quarter of this year.

The Federal Home Loan Bank Board reported that savings of the cash type savings accounts, Government savings bonds, and life insurance were at a record rate in the first quarter, higher than even the war-time peak reached in 1944.

Democratic Gain Seen

The National Committee for an Effective Congress predicted recently that the Democrats would gain in next fall's Congressional elections and that as a consequence there would be a swing in Democratic party control away from the South.

The committee, a private, non-profit organization, said this development would have a "liberalizing" effect on the party, but also would create "headaches" for its leadership.

It said a Democratic victory was "generally accepted." The only question, according to the committee, is how many seats the Democrats will pick up in each house.

Study Bach Vaccine

Chicago.- Research has shown that Salk anti-polio vaccine does not damage the brain, according to a recent report by the American Medical Association.

Dr. Frederic A. Gibbs and an associate prepared the report after an "extended clinical study" of 852 persons who received three Salk polio shots each at centers in Chicago, Rockford, Ill., and Richmond, Va.

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ASSETS

1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	
4. Other bonds, notes and debentures	
5. Corporate stocks (including $2,600.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	
6. Loans and discounts (including $9.07 overdrafts)	
7. Bank premises owned $12,500.00, furniture and fixtures $12,710.00	
(Bank premises owned are subject to no liens not assumed by bank)	
11. Other assets	
12. TOTAL ASSETS	

LIABILITIES

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	$1,[illegible]
23. Other liabilities	
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

25. Capital Stock (a) Common stock, total par $50,000.00	
26. Surplus	
27. Undivided profits	
28. Reserves	
29. Total Capital Accounts	
30. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	

MEMORANDA

31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	
32. (a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of	

I, T. DeWitt Evans, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. DeWitt Evans

State of Virginia, County of Appomattox, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of July, 1958, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

Thomas B. Coleman, Notary Public

My commission expires June 9, 1959

Correct—Attest:

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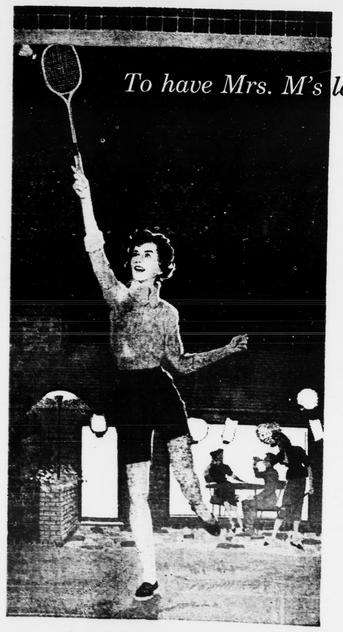

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...Mrs. Edgar Tuck, Wayne ...of Lynchburg, are spending ...time with Mr. and Mrs. ...Moore, Jr.

...Martin spent a few ...week and the week-...Mrs. Josephine Duncan, of ...

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...Mrs. Fred Clark, Miss ...and Miss aKthy Barr, ...Ohio are visiting Mr. ...G. Martin and Mr. and ...Morris, Ronnie and ...

...W. Martin is visiting this ...the home of Mr. and Mrs. ...and family and Mrs. C. ...

...Moore, of the U. S. Air ...L. C. Moore and two ...visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom ...

...Marie Ann Mays, of ...Michael Marino visited ...R. E. Mays on Satur-...

...birthday party honoring Ron-...Roberts was given on Sun-...afternoon. Many of his little ...were present for the occa-...

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Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Martin, Jr. and Janet are in Washington today to get their daughter, Faye, who is returning by plane from visiting friends in Los Angeles, California.

Liberty Chapel

Liberty Chapel, July 8.- Visiting in the home of Mrs. W. T. Childers Sunday were Mr. Eugene Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Childers, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Childers and daughters, Joan and Patsy; Mr. Carroll Childers and son, Barry, all of Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pillow, of Spout Spring; Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Childers, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Childers and Carolyn, all of Appomattox; and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hatcher.

Miss Faye Thornhill participated in the Intermediate Better Speakers Tournament of the Virginia Baptist Training Union Saturday at Eagle Eyrie. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter, Mrs. Joe Megginson, J. R. and Josia, the Rev. S. A. Dean and Miss Lenda Dean.

Supper guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. Doc Harris were Mr. and Mrs. George Spiggle, Leslie and Wayne, of Richmond; Mrs. Lucy Barswell and Ricky, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Lewis Harris and Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Childers.

The family of J. H. Reynolds entertained in his honor Sunday with a birthday celebration. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Martin and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Coleman, Brenda and Bruce.

Mrs. Lucy Barswell and grandson returned to their home in Washington, D. C. Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lewis Harris, who will spend the week with Mrs. Barswell and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harris, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thornhill and Donnie enjoyed a trip through the Smoky Mountains. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thornhill, of Abingdon.

We are glad to hear that Mrs Beverly Martin has returned to her work, after several weeks of illness.

Reduce erosion damage to your lawn by setting a large, flat stone under your rainspout. This will spread the rainwater over a larger area and help prevent the wearing away of topsoil.

Costa Rica seeks a loan for power project.

Stonewall

Stonewall, July 8.- My, we are really having hot and dry weather. We need some rain so badly. Let's hope it will come soon and cool off things.

The revival will begin at Bethel Church next Sunday. The pastor, Rev. Aaron Smith, will be assisted by his father, Rev. Smith, from Crozet, Va. He will do the preaching, and everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carson visited her sick brother, Mr. Tommie Davidson last week. Glad she found him to be improving. Hope he will soon be real well again.

Miss Kate Davidson has returned home after spending last week with her niece, Mrs. Stuart Barrell and her family at Ocean View.

Mr. Tom McVetty is visiting in the home of Mrs. K. H. Thornhill. His wife and children will accompany him home, after visiting here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephenson, Jr., and Cynthia, have returned to their home in Norfolk, after spending last week here with her parents and her sister and other relatives. Janet Anne Stephenson stayed over for a longer visit.

Mrs. Calvin Tanner spent the week-end in Lynchburg with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephenson Jr. and two girls, and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chick visited Mrs. Cantrell Smith and family and Mrs. Sonny Showalter and husband in Lynchburg last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beard and Lawrence entertained her parents and her sister and her family at their home on July 4th with a picnic, which was enjoyed with the family being together.

Mr. E. L. Chick wishes to thank all his many, many friends and relatives for their cards and visits to see him while he was on the sick list. We don't know how many dear friends we have until we have trouble. Thanks to every one, and may the Lord bless you all.

The W. S. C. S. of Bethel church will meet Thursday of this week at the parsonage with Rev. Aaron Smith. He will be host to all four W. S. C. S. groups of the charge. There will be a picnic dinner at noon for all.

What We Need

What this country needs is a permanent wave as permanent as a temporary tax and a temporary ax as temporary as a permanent wave. —Waterloo Courier.

Colored Dots

The Pew Rally which was to be held at the Canaan Baptist Church on Sunday night, July 13, will be postponed until a later date.

The Gospel Harmonettes will sing at the First Baptist Church on July 20, at 7:30 P. M. The public is invited.

The public is invited to attend the special musical program at the Promise Land Baptist Church this Sunday at 8 P. M. The program will be given by the Heavenly Gospel Singers, of Cullen, Va.

Impressive services were held at Galilee Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The pastor delivered a special message from the subject "Breaking Bread Together." After the morning message, the Lord's Supper was administered. Music was rendered by the church choir. One member was restored to the full fellowship of the church. The offering for the day was very good.

Rev. James Franklin, of Pamplin was the guest speaker at a special service at the Promise Land Baptist Church last Sunday evening. Music was rendered by the Mount Zion Baptist Church choir, of Pamplin.

The Rev. C. A. Marshall reported a very inspiring service at the Oak Hill Baptist Church in Buckingham last Sunday at 3 P. M., where he was the guest speaker.

Over 108 persons enrolled in the daily vacation Bible school at the Mount Airy Baptist Church last week. Commencement exercises were held on Friday evening.

The Rev. N. R. Jordan was the guest minister at the Calvary Baptist Church, Prospect, last Sunday morning. A large crowd attended.

Message was received here Sunday of the passing of Rev. Leslie Davis at his home in West Va.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Johnson and daughter left last week for a vacation in Baltimore and Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wright, of New York are spending their vacation here with his mother, Mrs. Nannie Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hancock and Miss Dorothy Austin spent the holiday in Baltimore.

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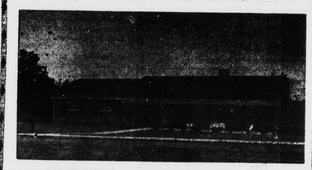

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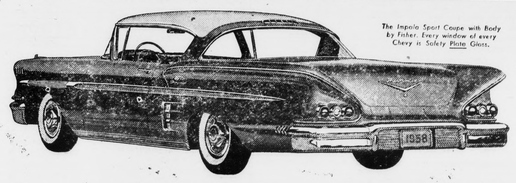

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